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In re application of:

COUNSELL, *et al.*

Application No.: 10/692,311

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For: BLOOD POOL CARRIER FOR
LIPOPHILIC AGENTS

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**LETTER TO EXAMINER AND
STATEMENT OF RELATEDNESS**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In view of *McKesson Information Solutions v. Bridge Medical* (Fed. Cir. 2007), Applicants wish to inform the Examiner (as required under MPEP 2001.06(b)) that this case is related to the following U.S. Patent Application:

U.S. Application No. 11/090,644, filed March 25, 2005.

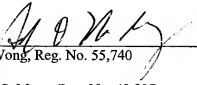
The Examiner is invited to review the art made of record, any Office Action, and any Notice of Allowance in the above-mentioned related application. Due to the ease of review on PAIR by the Examiner, Applicants assume that Applicants need not submit copies of the individual Office Actions and/or Notices of Allowance. Applicants assume that the Examiner is aware that prosecution is ongoing in the identified case, and that the Examiner will continue to evaluate the case as needed.

If there are any questions with regard to the foregoing, a telephone call to applicants' attorney at 415.442.1490 is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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